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SUBJ: PRG RESSES FOR NORTH YEMEN RECOGNITION

REF: (A) STATE 062535

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1. HAVING IN MIND OUR EARLIER APPROACH (REFTELS (A) AND (B) CAUTIONING AGAINST INTERNATIONAL ACTIONS GIVING ADDED RECOGNITION TO PRG AND GRUNK, YARG FONMIN ASNAG INFORMED ME MAY 30 THAT WITHIN PAST SEVERAL DAYS NORTH YEMEN HAS BEEN PUT UNDER CONSIDERABLE PRESSURE TO RECOGNIZE PRG. THROUGH YAR EMBASSY IN PEKING, AT LEAST HALF A DOZEN TELEGRAMS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FROM PRG ADDRESSED SEPARATELY TO PRESIDENT, PRIMIN AND FONMIN.

2. ASNAG SAID PRESIDENT IRYANI'S POSITION HITHERTO HAS BEEN TO PARRY REQUEST FOR RECOGNITION OF PRG ON GROUNDS THIS PREMATURE AS LONG AS DISCUSSIONS UNDERWAY  
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LOOKING TOWARD POLITICAL COMPROMISE IN SOUTH VIETNAM.

ASNAG COMMENTED THAT HE COULD NOT ASSURE ME THERE WOULD BE NO CHANGE IN POLICY GIVEN EXTENT OF PRESSURE NOW BEING BROUGHT. HE ASKED MY VIEWS.

3. SPEAKING OFFICIALLY, I REMINDED FONMIN THAT US POSITION AS EXPLAINED TO HIM DURING MY EARLIER DEMARCHE IS THAT VIET CONG SHOULD NOT BE PERMITTED MAKE ADVANCES IN INTERNATIONAL DIPLOMATIC ARENA THAT FREE PEOPLE OF SOUTH VIETNAM HAD DENIED THEM IN BATTLE. COMMENTING PERSONALLY I SAID YARG RECOGNITION OF PRG WOULD BE INCONSISTENT WITH GENUINE NON-ALIGNMENT AND WOULD BE SEEN BY SUPPORTERS OF RVN, USG INCLUDED, AS UNNECESSARY AND DISTINCTLY UNHELPFUL.  
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